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NORTH DAKOTA MARCH 1, 2020 GRAIN STOCKS

FARGO, N.D. March 31, 2020 - North Dakota **corn** stocks stored in all positions on March 1, 2020 totaled 268 million bushels, up 9 percent from a year ago, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. On-farm stocks of 205 million bushels are up 14 percent from 2019, but off-farm stocks of 63.2 million bushels are down 4 percent from last year.

All wheat stored in all positions totaled 202 million bushels, down 15 percent from a year ago. On-farm stocks of 130 million are down 16 percent from 2019, and off-farm stocks of 72.1 million bushels are down 11 percent from last year.

Durum wheat stored in all positions totaled 20.6 million bushels, down 36 percent from a year ago.

Barley stored in all positions totaled 24.3 million bushels, down 23 percent from 2019. On-farm stocks are 12.5 million bushels, down 14 percent from last year and off-farm stocks, at 11.8 million bushels, are down 30 percent from last year.

Oat on-farm stocks of 2.20 million bushels, are down 19 percent from a year ago.

Soybeans stored in all positions totaled 79.4 million bushels, down 39 percent from last year. On-farm stocks, at 45.5 million bushels, are down 34 percent from a year ago and off-farm stocks, at 33.9 million bushels, are down 45 percent from 2019.

All sunflower stored in all positions totaled 374 million pounds, down 14 percent from 2019.

Oil sunflower stocks are 335 million pounds, down 5 percent from last year. **Non-oil sunflower** stocks of 39.1 million pounds are down 52 percent from a year ago.

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